

REMARKS

The objection to the previous amendment to page 12, line 11 to page 13, line has been addressed by deleting the inadvertently typed "optical" in favor of the original "optimal," confirming the Examiner's assumption that the change to "optical" resulted from a typing error.

Claim 3 has been amended to substitute right parentheses for brackets, as suggested by the Examiner it item 7 on page 3 of the Official Action.

Claim 4 has been indicated as "previously presented," as required in item 8 on pages 3-4 of the Official Action.

The remaining objections to claims 6 and 7, and the rejection of claims 5-8 under 35 USC §101 have been rendered moot by the cancellation of claims 5-8.

Having thus overcome each of the objections and rejections made in the Official Action, withdrawal of the objections and rejections and expedited passage of the application to issue is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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